

AMENDMENT

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as indicated on the attached Appendix A according to the revision to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121 concerning a manner for making amendments to the specification.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as indicated on the attached Appendix B according to the revision to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121 concerning a manner for making claim amendments.

REMARKS

Claims 1-8 are presently pending in the application.

Subsequent to the preliminary amendment, claims 1-2 and 8 are currently amended, claims 3-7 are canceled and new claims 9-11 are added.

Independent claims 1 and 8 have been amended to recite a range of degree of substitution by phthalic acid group. Support for the amendment can be found in claim 2 as originally filed and canceled claim 7. New claims 9-11 depend from claim 1 and are separate embodiments of the subject matter covered by original claim 2. No new matter within the meaning of § 132 has been added by any of the